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On the Corner
 Brock and Wellington Sts.

St. Peter's church, New Boyne, was the scene of an interesting event, on February 2nd, when Miss Victoria Joynt, daughter of Mrs. Bourns Joynt, was united in marriage to Ambrose Ready, Portland.

It's just the same as giving you 50c joining the Tarnard Inn library for \$1 life membership. Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Books can be exchanged all over the world.

At the residence of George Andrews, Belleville, Wednesday, a wedding took place in the presence of friends. The groom was John Hinds, and the bride Miss Agnes Dryden, formerly of Scotland.

Bibby's 60c sale of shirts.

If a man gets on well in this world, it is a pretty good sign that he will make a big fuss about getting off.

MR. FOSTER'S SUIT

SLANDER ACTION WILL BE DISMISSED, INTIMATES COURT.

But Libel Action Goes on—Mr. Foster Might be Able to Recover From Union Trust Co.

Toronto, Feb. 18.—A series of legal skirmishes marked the proceedings of the first day in the trial of the actions for libel and slander brought by Hon. Geo. E. Foster, M.P., against Rev. J. A. Macdonald, managing editor of the Toronto Globe. The final result was in the nature of a drawn battle, Justice Magee, the presiding judge, reserving his decision in regard to the points presented, but intimating that the slander action would be dismissed, while the action for libel would go on. E. F. B. Johnson, K.C., for the defendant, argued that the slander action would not lie, because it had not been shown that Mr. Foster was acting as a trustee and unless he had occupied such a position no criminal action could have been maintained against him, if the charges had been true. His lordship held that this contention was correct, but observed his opinion was subject to change before the case went to the jury.

Mr. Johnson also contended that owing to the failure of the plaintiff to give due notice of his intention to sue for libel, the action on that count should also be dismissed, but the court held that the fact that Mr. Foster was a candidate for public office in Ontario at the time served to save the case.

To-day's Proceedings.

Toronto, Feb. 18.—The Foster-Macdonald suit continued before a crowded court room in the jury assesses this morning. Justice Magee, on the opening of the court, gave his decision on the point raised as to the claims for damages for slander as well as libel, and decided there was no slander. He, accordingly, ruled out that part of the claim. On another point which last night his lordship ruled that had Mr. Macdonald, in his statement of defence, objected that written notice of intention to proceed on a charge of libel had not been given, he would have ruled the whole suit out. But Mr. Macdonald not having so objected he thought Mr. Foster was entitled to proceed.

The case for the defence then proceeded. A feature of the morning session was the continual series of objections raised by Mr. Hellmuth for Mr. Foster. Mr. Hellmuth objected to certain documents being admitted, but they were over-ruled. Col. Stevenson, supreme chief ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters, was called as the first witness. He was giving evidence, having a direct bearing on the operations of the Union Trust company, the subsidiary company of the foresters, of which Mr. Foster was manager when the Swan River land sales took place, when Mr. Hellmuth objected to anything but the originals of the documents, letters and checks being put in. Mr. Rowell promptly agreed, and some of these were examined with great interest by the jurymen. Mr. Rowell made a reference to other land deals it is alleged Mr. Foster was engaged in and at once Mr. Hellmuth objected. He was again over-ruled.

FIXED IN A MOB

And Killed One Man—Seeking to Lynch Negroes.

Cairo, Ill., Feb. 18.—Two companies of sheriffs, armed with rifles, are guarding the county jail, to-day, following an attempt to lynch two negroes, accused of snatching purses off white women. The attempted lynching was foiled by Sheriff Nellis and his deputies who opened fire on the mob, as it advanced to storm the jail, killing one man and injuring eleven others. Fearing a further attack of the mob, the sheriff appealed to Governor Deen, for troops. Company "K," 4th Infantry, of this city, was ordered out and company "G," of Ellingham, was rushed to the scene, arriving at day-break, to-day.

EXPLOSION IN A TUNNEL

Spark From Lamp Fell Into Dynamite.

Pottsville, Pa., Feb. 18.—A spark from a miner's lamp, falling into a box of a hundred dynamite cartridges caused a terrific explosion in the tunnel of the Dunkleberger Coal company, near Trevorton, and badly injured three men. A. F. Leander, of Baker, aged forty years, lost his left arm, several fingers of the right hand were blown off and one eye was destroyed. He will probably die. Frank Kerstetter and Allan Derk, of West Cameron, were cut and burned and are in a critical condition.

Bibby's sale shirts, 60c., Saturday.

TRIED TO DECEIVE

AND COVER UP STEALING—BINDING AND GAGGING HERSELF.

The Trains Running Into Montreal Were Quite Late Owing to the Storm—No Typhoid Cases Reported.

Montreal, Feb. 18.—Albertine Cermet, a fourteen-year-old domestic in a Westmount residence, was found bound and gagged, yesterday, when her mistress returned home and when released told a thrilling story of a burglar who tied her up and took \$1.25 from a drawer and skipped. The story did not seem to hold very well and finally the police were called in and the young girl admitted that it was a fairy tale. She had done the binding and gagging to cover up her own pilfering. She had been indulging in dime novel reading and she was evidently excited and tried her hands at tricks.

Trains due in the city early to-day from distant points were, for the most part, several hours late owing to the snow and wind storm which raged throughout the night and made the progress slow. February is breaking the record for the heavy fall of snow in a short period. There has been a fall of approximately thirty inches to date.

This was the first day, in several months, that no typhoid cases were reported to the civil authorities and the number has been decreasing for some weeks past. The epidemic is now a thing of the past.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

Bibby's sale shirts Saturday. Fresh strawberries, at Car-novsky's. William Swaine, piano tuner. Orders received at McEaney's. Phone 778. "Zam-Buk" Ointment. Sold in Kingston at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

There were no cases for Magistrate Farrell at the police court on Friday morning.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner from Clackering's. Leave orders at McEaney's bookstore.

The company that will present "The Man From Home" at the Grand on Saturday, leave by special C.P.R. train for Ottawa, on Sunday, at noon. The place to have that cough cured is Best's. You can get any tough cure that is sold there.

"Pall Mall cigarette" window at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Strictly high class cigarettes are sold at this store.

A knight of the road, on his way from Gananoque, to Nanawau, was given shelter, at the police station, on students to-night.

Bibby's big sale shirts, Saturday, 60c., all sizes.

"In all the large cities of the world" Tabard Inn library books may be exchanged. No other library gives you this opportunity. Gibson's Red Cross drug store Kingston branch.

Four hockey games will be played, Saturday morning in the Juvenile City League. The Wolves and Indians and St. Mary's and Y.M.C.A. will play. Tigers and Wellingtons and Victorians and Eagles will also clash.

Rimless eyeglasses and spectacles fitted complete for \$1.50, at Best's.

"Ten more days" to join the Tabard Inn library at Gibson's Red Cross drug store for \$1. It saves you 50c.

The passengers to the city, this morning, on the Kingston St. Pembroke train, reported great snow drifts on all the roads. The Portland and Sydneyham roads, over which the soldiers will have to tramp, on their way in from Verona, are covered in some places with eight and nine feet of snow, and will cause much trouble.

PURGE THEIR COLUMNS.

The Ontario Alliance Speaks to Newspapers.

Toronto, Feb. 18.—The convention of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance, ended its proceedings, this morning, in the Elm Street Methodist church. The officers for the ensuing year are: Honorary president, Controller F. S. Spence, Toronto; president, Joseph S. Gibson, Ingersoll; treasurer, Theron Gibson, Toronto; secretary, Rev. Benjamin H. Spence, Toronto.

All the vice-presidents and executive committee members of last year were unanimously re-elected. The last resolution to be passed by the convention was one protesting against the insertion of liquor advertisements in newspapers and periodicals and asking publishers to purge their columns of all such advertisements.

ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE

For Deserting an Infant in Toronto Hotel.

Toronto, Feb. 18.—Louis Frenberg and Lena Goodman, arrested on a charge of deserting a child, were allowed to go on suspended sentence, this morning, after giving assurance they would go back to the United States at once. The couple came to Toronto from Montreal a few weeks ago, and deserted a two-months-old infant in a room in the American hotel, York and Wellington streets. They subsequently were apprehended at Port Huron, where the United States immigration authorities refused to allow them to cross the border. The woman hailed from Boston and the man from St. Louis.

Buffalo Contractor Convicted.

Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 18.—A jury, to-day, returned a verdict of "guilty" in the case of Lawrence Savage, a contractor, charged with grand larceny. Savage was alleged to have obtained \$2,000 from the town of West Seneca on a false claim for extras in connection with the building of its sewer system in 1908. Sentence was deferred.

Acrobat Broke His Neck.

Newark, N.J., Feb. 18.—George Sully, of New Brunswick, N.J., one of a quartette of acrobats, broke his neck during their act at a local theatre. He fell from a chair on top of a table to the stage. He can live but a few hours.

OPPOSED TO DAMMING A FLAMING DREAM

OUTLET OF LAKE ERIE TO DEEPEN LAKE HARBORS.

Government Commission Presents Report—Advantages are not Sufficient to Justify Carrying Out of Proposal.

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—The report of the international waterways commission, with respect to the project for damming the outlet of Lake Erie, with a view to deepening the lake harbors, and the Detroit and St. Clair channels, tabled in the commons on Thursday afternoon by Hon. Dr. Pugsley, is averse to the proposal on the ground that the injury which would be done to the consequent lowering of level in Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence river would not be compensated for by the moderate degree of improvement in regulation of channels west of the mouth of the Niagara.

"Without going into details," says the commission, "it may be stated in general terms that as in the case of Lake Erie only a very moderate degree of improvement in regulation above what nature provided is practicable in any of the lakes, and that such as it is this improvement is obtained at the expense and to the injury of navigable channels below."

The suggestion made by the board of engineers for raising the level of the outlet was for a set of sluice gates designed that with the gates all closed the low water level would be discharged over a fixed submerged weir, while with the gates all open the additional volume of overflow could be regulated so as to take care of the maximum supply at high level. They were to be placed at the head of the Niagara river in the Vied Island pier and were designed to hold the level of the lake at or near 574.5 feet above noon tide at New York.

The report gives in comprehensive detail the records of various levels on the lakes during the past forty years. The result shows that in the extreme low stages of navigation on Lake Erie the level of the lake might have been increased by the proposed dam by about one foot. This would be equivalent to deepening every harbor and channel in Lake Erie by that amount. On Lake St. Clair the low water level could be increased 0.61 feet. On Lake Michigan and Huron the level would be raised 0.27 feet.

Any change, however, in the outflow of Lake Erie would change the water levels of Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence river. Under the proposed regulation of levels on Lake Erie, low water of September, October and November in Lake Ontario would be lowered by about four inches and this in turn would lower the levels in the Troopier Canal by a little over seven inches, and diminishing the draft of vessels by that amount. The total oscillations in Lake Ontario would be increased about five and one-half inches, and low water would be made lower by four and a half inches. Buffalo and its southern suburbs would suffer by increased damage by floods and from a postponement of the opening of spring navigation.

The commission therefore concludes that the advantages are not of such overwhelling character that they would justify the two governments in carrying out the proposal, while the pecuniary intricacies "do not follow, the commission says, that nothing can be done to improve the level of the lake. It is impossible to raise it by simply reducing the size of the outlet, but here again are vested rights. Somewhere in the Niagara river between Lake Erie and the Falls a submerged dam may be placed that will greatly benefit the navigation above without hurting that below. Without attempting to "regulate" Lake Erie the level of the lake may be raised sufficiently to compensate for the damages heretofore inflicted by the Chicago Drainage Canal and other deteriorating influences.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of The People—What They Are Saying And Doing.

Miss D. Macgillivray, Earl street, returned, Thursday, from a visit at Perth.

Dr. A. P. Knight has gone to Toronto to address the Normal school students to-night.

The condition of Mrs. George A. Armstrong, Alfred street, has so much improved that all danger is now past. The many friends of Mrs. S. F. Earl, street, will be sorry to learn that she is quite ill. She is suffering from a gripple.

Capt. James Dix and "Harry" Filtson have returned home from Buffalo, where they were called to give evidence in a marine case.

Mrs. Frederick Schoenthal and Miss Ethel Lemox, of Buffalo, N.Y., were called to the city, owing to the illness of their mother, Mrs. Cooper Lemox.

Ernest Villard, of Elmira, N.Y., is spending a couple of days in the city. He will go on to Ottawa and Hull on labor union business, in which he is engaged.

Mrs. Henry O'Hara was reported to be slightly improved, by the authorities at the Hotel Des, to-day, and hopes are now held out for her recovery.

Dr. "Harry" C. Lindsay, of Strathroy, a brother of Cadet Arthur Lindsay, attending the R.M.C., is seriously ill in New York, suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Y.W.C.A. Tea and Sale.

The afternoon tea and sale given by the directors of the Y.W.C.A., at 196 Johnson street, on Thursday afternoon was a success, over \$45 being realized. Bright fires crackled in the old-fashioned grates, and the rooms were fragrant with carnations, tulips and daffodils, which were very generously donated by R. Purdy, Catarquigui, and Wallace & Parks.

Mrs. Ross, president of the association, received the guests, assisted by Miss Drummond, while Mrs. H. W. Snelling, Miss Gibson, Mrs. Charles Harvey and Miss Henstridge were everywhere, seeing that no one was overlooked. Mrs. Henry Breck and Mrs. Robert Laird did the tea table honors.

Convenors for the work table were: Mrs. Archibald Strachan and Miss Holmes. The home-made table, Mrs. John Wright, Mrs. J. S. McCann and Mrs. James Sutherland, the candy and flower tables were in charge of Mrs. William H. Stevenson, Mrs. Cochran, Miss H. Chown and Miss Bureau.

The board of management wish to express their deep gratitude to all those who so kindly and unselfishly helped to make the tea the success it was.

Arrangements Completed.

Toronto, Feb. 18.—The Hydro-Electric Power Commission has completed its arrangements for supplying power to its latest customer, the city of Port Arthur. The whole cost will be only \$50,447, or nearly \$15,000 below the estimate, and there will, as a result, be a reduction of from \$1 to \$2 a horse power in the rates quoted to Port Arthur before the vote was taken.

Rapid Transit.

Everybody's Magazine.

"When I arose to speak," related a martyred statesman, "some one hurled a base, cowardly egg at me and it struck me in the chest."

"And what kind of an egg might that be?" asked a fresh young man.

"A base, cowardly egg," explained the statesman, "is one that hits you and then runs."

Kindly Bartenders Beware.

Brockville, Ont., Feb. 18.—The bartender of the Windsor hotel was fined \$40 and costs in the police court for presenting a friend with a bottle of whiskey after closing hours.

Bibby's sale shirts, 60c., Saturday.

Reports from Mr. Graner, (Rep.) Iowa, has introduced a bill in congress house, providing for the appointment of an information-labor office in the post office, and for the employment of a labor clerk in every one of the 70,000 odd post offices in the country. These men are to compile a list of the unemployed in the neighborhood of that office and also a list of employers looking for employees. The jobless men are then to be introduced to the needless jobs and vice versa.

Larkspur Lotion, in 25c. bottles, at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Mrs. Emily Clapsaddle, relict of the late Abner Clapsaddle, died, Wednesday, at Belleville. Deceased had been ill for some months with lung trouble.

Mrs. Clapsaddle was the daughter of the late Peter Hicks, who died recently, and she was born in Tredyngens township fifty-three years ago.

Twelve men of Dry Ridge, Ky., one of them a member of the Kentucky legislature, were indicted on Friday, on charges of conspiracy in restraint of trade by the special federal government in Covington, Ky., investigating the operations of the Burly Tobacco Society.

"Pall Mall" high-class cigarettes are sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

WOMAN KILLED A MAN.

Tragedy in Galician Colony at Fort William.

Fort William, Ont., Feb. 18.—Mary Mateviov, a comedy young Galician woman, twenty years of age, yesterday afternoon shot and almost instantly killed a Galician man. The shooting occurred at 521 McLaughlin street in the coal docks district. The woman cannot speak English. The man shot to death was Paul Fimbelinsky. The woman emptied a revolver at him, but the first shot was enough to have proven fatal. The woman, who has been married only three months, says the man entered her home and tried to assault her.

POISON IN THE DOUGHNUTS.

Baker Cooked Them in Machine Oil by Mistake.

Laurel, Md., Feb. 18.—A mistake in the delivery of two barrels of oil nearly caused fatal results here when some fifty persons were made violently ill by eating doughnuts served by a local baker, which had been prepared in machine oil. In two instances entire families were on the dangerous list, and the physicians had hard work saving them. It developed to-day that the machine oil had been ordered by a hardware dealer, who received instead the barrel intended for the baker.

Permanent Force.

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—Replying to R. L. Borden, the minister of militia said that fifty per cent. of the men serving in the permanent force, had re-enlisted after the expiration of their term. The force was at full strength. Approximately ninety per cent. of the officers and twenty per cent. of the non-commissioned officers and men were Canadian born.

Lost Boy Was Found.

Joseph Saunders, the young son of Frederick Saunders, Ontario street, who was reported missing, returned to his home yesterday afternoon, much to the relief of his parents.

Rev. W. P. Fletcher, Drayton, was re-elected grand councillor of the Royal Templars of Temperance.



TO-MORROW

Commencing at 9 o'clock and Continuing All Day.

We will place on sale the following very special purchase. These goods were secured at prices greatly below their real value, and we pass them on to you at prices you cannot well afford to miss.

125 Good Quality White Cotton Sheets

Made from a high grade English Cotton, torn by hand, not cut. This ensures proper shape after being laundered. Size full 7 feet 6 inches long by 6 feet wide. One end neatly hemmed the other with full 8 inch Real Convent Hemstitched Hem. These Sheets are worth at least \$1.35 each.

Yours To-Morrow 99c.

500 Packages of the Famous "Rival" Black Saxony Wool

Suitable for Stockings, Sox and Mitts. It is unshrinkable and very strong, with a soft, even thread, and is made by the Baldwin's, who make Beehive Wools. The regular value of this Wool is 20c package.

Yours To-Morrow 12 1/2c.

March Delineator

now ready, also the SPRING QUARTERLY FASHION BOOK

Large size. A Pattern FREE with each book.

Children's Stockings

Black Fine Ribbed Cashmere, all sizes, 3 qualities, 20c to 50c, for Girls.

Black Heavy Ribbed Cashmere, all sizes, for Boys.

Girls' Overshoes

WITH STOCKINGS ATTACHED

Warm, Waterproof and easy to put on or take off.

Regular Price, 11 to 2, \$2.00.

Regular Price, 8 to 10 1-2, \$1.75.

Saturday, \$1 a Pair.

Less than the price of ordinary Rubbers and Stockings separate.

THE LOCKETT SHOE STORE

We're Tailors

Along with our Ready-to-Wear Clothing business we have a tailor shop where we make Clothing to measure. It caters to the whim and will of the man who wants

Custom-Made Clothing

No matter in how many styles or in how many shades of sizes Ready-to-wear Clothing is made, there will always be men who want Clothing made to their own figure and after their own ideas.

The New Spring Fabrics are beautiful. Come and see them while our assortment is at its best. Moderate prices for the best of work.

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